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Calvin's Hymn

I greet Thee, who my sure Redeemer art,
My only Trust, and Saviour of my heart !
Who so much toil and woe
And pain didst undergo,
For my poor worthless sake;
And pray Thee, from our hearts,
All idle grief and smarts
And foolish cares to take.

Thou art the King of mercy and of grace,
Reigning omnipotent in every place;
So come, O King! and deign
Within our hearts to reign,
And our whole being sway;
Shine in us by Thy light,
And lead us to the height
Of Thy pure, heavenly day.

Oh, pitiful and gracious as Thou art,
The lovely Bridegroom of the holy heart,
Lord Jesus Christ, meet Thou
The Antichrist our foe,
In all his cruel ruth !
Thy Spirit give, that we
May, in true verity,
Follow Thy word of truth.

✻ "To the Law and to the Testimony. If they speak not according to
this Word, it is because there is no light in them.---Isaiah viii : 20. ✻